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Programme of meetings and agenda

Official meetings

Monday, 31 October 2005

Security Council

10 a.m. 5297th meeting Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in the Middle East

Letter dated 20 October 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/662)

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

The 7th meeting (closed) of the informal consultations of the plenary on the Human Rights Council will be held on Tuesday, 1 November 2005, at 9.30 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

The 6th meeting (closed) of the informal consultations of the plenary on the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on Wednesday, 2 November 2005, at 2.30 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. A letter from the two co-chairs was transmitted by fax to all Permanent Missions on Friday, 28 October 2005.

Announcement

During the final week of Ramadan, from 31 October to 4 November 2005, the hours of the plenary meetings of the General Assembly and the meetings of the Main Committees will be from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. at the latest.



**Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999)
concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities**

3 p.m. 31st meeting (closed)

Conference Room 7

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

9.30 a.m. 40th plenary meeting

General Assembly Hall

1. Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: third report of the General Committee (A/60/250/Add.2) [7]
2. Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency [84]
 - (a) Note by the Secretary-General (A/60/204)
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/60/L.13)
3. The situation in Central America: progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development [13]
 - (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/60/218)
 - (b) Draft decision (A/60/L.14)
4. Zone of peace and cooperation of the South Atlantic: draft decision (A/60/L.11) [16]
5. Holocaust remembrance: draft resolution (A/60/L.12) [72]

Main Committees

First Committee

9.30 a.m.–12.30 p.m. 22nd meeting Conference Room 2

Action on all draft resolutions submitted under disarmament and international security agenda items (items 85 to 105): *item 88* (A/C.1/60/L.60); *item 97* (A/C.1/60/L.1/Rev.1*, A/C.1/60/L.30/Rev.1, A/C.1/60/L.38/Rev.2, A/C.1/60/L.40, A/C.1/60/L.50/Rev.1, A/60/160, A/60/160/Add.1 and A/60/160/Corr.1); *item 98* (A/C.1/60/L.18, A/C.1/60/L.41, A/60/153 and A/60/166); and *item 99* (A/C.1/60/L.59/Rev.1, A/60/42, A/60/135 and A/60/285)

[Other documents (A/C.1/60/1, A/C.1/60/2, A/C.1/60/3, A/C.1/60/3/Add.1, A/C.1/60/INF/1, A/C.1/60/INF/2* and A/C.1/60/INF/2/Add.1)]

Second Committee

9.30 a.m.–12.30 p.m. 17th meeting Conference Room 4

2.30–5.30 p.m. 18th meeting Conference Room 4

Macroeconomic policy questions [50]

- (a) International trade and development (A/60/225, A/60/226, A/60/15 (Parts I-IV))

Introduction and general discussion

Third Committee

9.30 a.m.–12.30 p.m.	30th meeting	Conference Room 1
2.30–5.30 p.m.	31st meeting	Conference Room 1
	Human rights questions (A/60/40, A/60/44, A/60/129, A/60/336, A/60/392 and A/60/408-S/2005/626)	[71]
	(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms (A/60/134, A/60/266, A/60/272, A/60/286, A/60/299, A/60/301, A/60/301/Add.1, A/60/305*, A/60/321, A/60/326, A/60/333, A/60/338, A/60/338/Corr.1, A/60/339, A/60/339/Corr.1, A/60/340, A/60/348, A/60/350, A/60/353, A/60/357, A/60/374, A/60/384, A/60/399, A/60/431, A/60/392 and A/C.3/60/3 ¹)	
	(c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives (A/60/221, A/60/271, A/60/306, A/60/324, A/60/349, A/60/354, A/60/356, A/60/359, A/60/367, A/60/370, A/60/395, A/60/422 and A/C.3/60/2)	
	(e) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (A/60/36 and A/60/343)	
	<i>Continuation of the general discussion</i>	

¹ To be issued.**Fifth Committee**

9.30 a.m.–12.30 p.m.	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Informal consultations on agenda items 132 (Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services (A/60/346)); and 121 (Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors (A/60/5/Add.5, A/60/113 and A/60/387))	
2.30–4.30 p.m.	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Informal consultations on agenda item 131 (United Nations common system (A/60/30, A/60/30/Corr.1, A/60/209, A/59/263/Add.1, A/60/421 and A/60/7/Add.3); and Strengthening the International Civil Service (A/59/30 Vol. II, A/59/153 and A/59/399))	

Sixth Committee

9.30–11 a.m.	Informal consultations (closed)	Trusteeship Council Chamber
	Informal consultations on agenda item 108 (Measures to eliminate international terrorism)	
11 a.m.–12.30 p.m.	17th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
	Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its fifty-seventh session (A/60/10)	[80]

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3–6 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
1. Consolidated budget for the biennium 2006-2007 for the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime 2. Executive session on the request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2006-2007		

Economic and Social Council

United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination Second regular session of 2005

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8
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General Assembly

Sixtieth session

Informal consultations on agenda item 75 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea)

Open-ended informal consultations on the draft resolution on agenda item 75 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) will be held on *Monday, 31 October 2005*, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6.

Economic and Social Council

Informal "informal" consultations

There will be informal "informal" consultations, convened by the facilitator Mr. Carlos G. Ruiz Massieu (Mexico), on the draft proposal on the Maldives and on the report of the Committee for Development Policy on its seventh session, on *Monday, 31 October 2005*, from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room B.

Informal consultations convened by delegations**Monday, 31 October 2005**

Informal consultations on a draft resolution on Basic Principles and Guidelines on the right to a remedy and reparation for victims of gross violation of international human rights law and serious violations of international humanitarian law (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Chile)

9.30 a.m.–12.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C

Informal consultation on the draft resolution entitled “Strengthening emergency relief, rehabilitation, reconstruction and prevention in the aftermath of the Indian Ocean tsunami disaster”, under agenda item 73 (General Assembly) (convened by the delegation of Indonesia)

10 a.m.–12.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room E

Meeting of the co-sponsors of a draft resolution on strengthening the role of the United Nations in elections (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of the United States)

12.45–1.45 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room E

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled “Rights of the child”, under agenda item 67 (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of the United Kingdom, on behalf of the European Union and Uruguay (on behalf of some Latin American countries))

2.30–5.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C

Meeting of the co-sponsors of the draft resolution on the protection of and assistance to internally displaced persons (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Norway)

2.30–5 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room E

Informal consultations on a draft resolution on the follow-up to the Fourth World Conference on Women and full implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome of the twenty-third special session of the General Assembly (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Portugal)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Suite of offices
Conference Room 1

Other meetings

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Monday, 31 October 2005

Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on Disarmament (informal consultations)

9-9.30 a.m. Closed meeting Conference Room A

2005 United Nations Disarmament Fellowship Programme

9 a.m.-1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room D

2-6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room D

Group of 77 (on draft resolution on international year of planet Earth)

9.30-10 a.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 9

Group of 77 (core group on the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP))

10-11.30 a.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 9

Group of 77 (on international migration and development)

11.30 a.m.-12.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 9

Group of 77 (consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Follow-up to the Fourth World Conference on Women and full implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome of the twenty-third special session of the General Assembly", under agenda item 65 (Third Committee))

12.45-2 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 2

Group of 77 (core group on science and technology)

12.45-2 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 9

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

12.45-2.15 p.m. Closed meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

Group of 77 (core group on trade)

2.30-5.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 8

African Group: Group of Experts on Economic Matters

12.45-2 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 4

African Group (Third Committee experts)

12.45-2.15 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 1

Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization

2.30–5.30 p.m.

Closed meeting

Trusteeship Council Chamber

Community of Democracies : United Nations Democracy Caucus (consideration of the programme of work of the United Nations Democracy Caucus; and preparation of the Caucus contribution to the consultation process on the Human Rights Council) (at the ambassadorial level) (organized by the Permanent Mission of Mali)

2.30–5.30 p.m.

Closed meeting

Conference Room 2

Briefing for Permanent Representatives of the African Group by the Executive Director of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime on the outcome of the Round Table on Crime and Drugs as Impediments to Security and Development in Africa (Abuja, 5–6 September 2005) (organized by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC))

Monday, 31 October 2005, from 1 to 2.15 p.m. in Conference Room 5.

[For further information, please contact UNODC New York Office, Ms. Lilibeth Benitez (tel. 1 (212-963-5635; e-mail benitez@un.org)).]

United Nations Administrative Tribunal

Monday, 31 October 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Room DC2-0461.

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/News/press/conf.htm.

Monday, 31 October 2005

Room S-226

12 noon Press briefing by the Spokesman

Forthcoming official meetings**General Assembly**

Sixtieth session

Main Committees**Special Political and Decolonization Committee
(Fourth Committee)**

The 20th meeting of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will be held on Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

Second Committee*Informal "informal" consultations*

Informal "informal" consultations, convened by the Facilitator, Mr. Peter Le Roux (South Africa), on the draft resolution on agenda item 50 (c) (External debt crisis and development), will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, 1 and 2 November 2005, from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room B.

Briefing on the 2005 Report on the World Social Situation

The Second Committee will hold a briefing on the 2005 *Report on the World Social Situation: The Inequality Predicament*, organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs, on Thursday, 3 November, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 2. The meeting will be chaired by H.E. Mr. Selwin Charles Hart (Barbados), Vice-Chairman of the Committee. The Assistant Secretary-General for Economic Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Mr. Jomo Kwame Sundaram, will make a presentation followed by an exchange of views with Member States.

Members of Permanent Missions, Secretariat staff, representatives of intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend.

International Year of Microcredit 2005: United Nations International Forum to Build Inclusive Financial Sectors

There will be a two-day event on the theme "Building inclusive financial sectors", organized by the United Nations Capital Development Fund (UNCDF) and the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), on Monday and Tuesday, 7 and 8 November 2005, in Conference Room 2. The meeting will be chaired by H.E. Mr. Aminu Wali (Nigeria), Chairman of the Second Committee. There will be an opening ceremony and eight panels. The relevant information is available at the following address: www.yearofmicrocredit.org.

Members of Permanent Missions, Secretariat staff, representatives of intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend. All attendees to the Forum must register at www.yearofmicrocredit.org/forum2005/registration.

List of speakers

The list of speakers for all items allocated to the Second Committee is open for inscription. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to contact the secretariat of the Committee (Ms. Maureen Otto (tel. 1 (212) 963-7855; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)).

[*Note:* Delegations wishing to reserve rooms for informal "informal" consultations on Second Committee matters are requested to contact Ms. Danielle Maillard-Lejano (tel. 1 (917) 367-5865; fax 1 (212) 963-5935; e-mail Maillard-Lejano@un.org).]

Third Committee

Listed below is the tentative schedule for introductory statements by Special Rapporteurs, Special Representatives, Independent Experts and other mechanisms of the Commission on Human Rights who will be presenting reports to the Third Committee:

Monday, 7 November (morning) (agenda item 69):

Mr. Doudou Diene (Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance)

List of speakers

The list of speakers for the general discussion under all items allocated to the Third Committee is now open. Delegations are kindly requested to consult the draft programme of work of the Third Committee (A/C.3/60/L.1/Rev.1) prior to contacting the Secretariat with their request for inscription on the list (Ms. Nancy Beteta (tel. 1 (212) 963-5722; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)).

Delegations that have not yet submitted the names of their representatives, alternates, and advisers are reminded to convey such information to the Secretary of the Third Committee, Mr. Moncef Khane (room S-2950; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Relevant information relating to the organization of work and the status of documentation is available on the Web site of the Third Committee at the following address: www.un.org/ga/60/third.

[*Note:* Delegations wishing to reserve rooms for informal consultations on Third Committee matters are requested to contact Ms. Danielle Maillard-Lejano (tel. 1 (917) 367-5865; fax 1 (212) 963-5935; e-mail Maillard-Lejano@un.org).]

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold its 16th meeting on Tuesday, 1 November 2005, at 9.30 a.m. in Conference Room 3. Informal consultations (closed) will be held following the adjournment of the 16th meeting and at 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 5.

Sixth Committee

List of speakers

The list of speakers for agenda item 80 (Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its fifty-seventh session) will be closed on *Monday, 31 October 2005*. The list of speakers for agenda item 78 (United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law) and 153 (Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country) are now open. Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Sixth Committee (Ms. Nena Villena-Tanedo (tel. 1 (212) 963-5375); fax 1 (212) 963-1963; e-mail villena-tanedo@un.org)).

Delegations that have not yet submitted the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers are invited to inform the Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs, secretariat of the Sixth Committee (room S-3460; fax 1 (212) 963-1963; e-mail treverret@un.org).

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

Informal consultations on agenda item 75 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea)

Open-ended informal consultations on the draft resolution on agenda item 75 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) will be held on Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

Informal consultations on agenda item 75 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea)

Open-ended informal consultations on the draft resolution on agenda item 75 (b) (Sustainable fisheries, including through the 1995 Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks) will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, 2 and 3 November 2005, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

Economic and Social Council

Special event on the theme of "Avian flu"

A special event on the theme of "Avian flu", organized by the Economic and Social Council, will be held on Thursday, 3 November 2005, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The meeting will be chaired by H.E. Mr. Munir Akram (Pakistan), President of the Economic and Social Council. The speakers will include H.E. Mr. Jan Eliasson (Sweden), President of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly; Ms. Margaret Chan, Representative of the Director-General of World Health Organization for Pandemic Influenza; Ms. Louise Fresco, Assistant Director-General for Agriculture, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations; Dr. David Nabarro, Senior United Nations System Coordinator for Avian and Human Influenza; and Mrs. Margareta Walstrohm, Assistant Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Deputy Emergency Relief Coordinator, Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs.

Members of Permanent Missions, agencies and organizations of the United Nations system, Secretariat staff, representatives of non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend. For further information please contact Mrs. Leslie Wade (tel. 1 (212) 963-4420; e-mail wade@un.org).

Forthcoming informal consultations convened by delegations

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on the incompatibility between corruption and the full enjoyment of human rights (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of the United States)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room C.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on the protection of and assistance to internally displaced persons (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Norway)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room E; and

Wednesday, 2 November 2005, from 12.45 to 2 p.m. in Conference Room E.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Enhancing capacity-building in global public health", under agenda item 120 (convened by the delegation of China)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 9.

Informal consultations on a draft resolution on the elimination of all forms of intolerance and of discrimination based on religion or belief (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of the Netherlands)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 12.45 to 2 p.m. in Conference Room C, and

Wednesday, 2 November 2005, from 12.45 to 2 p.m. in Conference Room C.

Informal consultations on a draft resolution on the Universal realization of peoples' rights to self-determination, under agenda item 69 (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Pakistan)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 12.45 to 2 p.m. in Conference Room E

Informal consultations on a draft resolution on the protection of migrants (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 1 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room C-209-B.

Informal consultations on a draft resolution on the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, under agenda item 39 (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Finland)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room C-209-B;

Thursday, 3 November 2005, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room C; and

Monday, 7 November 2005, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Declaration on the Right and Responsibility of Individuals, Groups and Organs of Society to Promote and Protect Universally Recognized Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms", under agenda item 71 (b) (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Norway)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room C.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on strengthening of international cooperation and coordination of efforts to study, mitigate and minimize the consequences of the Chernobyl disaster, under agenda item 73 (c) (convened by the delegations of Belarus, the Russian Federation and Ukraine)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room E.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on Afghanistan (Parts A and B), under agenda items 17 and 73 (e) (convened by the delegation of Germany)

Wednesday, 2 November 2005, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber; and

Wednesday, 9 November 2005, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 5.

Meeting of the co-sponsors of a draft resolution on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Denmark)

Wednesday, 2 November 2005, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room C.

Meeting of the co-sponsors (Mountain Partnership) of a draft resolution on sustainable mountain development, under agenda sub-items 52 (e) and (i) (Second Committee) (convened by the delegation of Switzerland)

Wednesday, 2 November 2005, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room B.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Rights of the child", under agenda item 67 (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of the United Kingdom, on behalf of the European Union and Uruguay (on behalf of some Latin American countries))

Wednesday, 2 November 2005, from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room C; and

Thursday, 3 November 2005, from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room C.

Informal consultations on globalization and its impact on the full enjoyment of human rights (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Egypt)

Thursday, 3 November 2005, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room E.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Public administration and development", under agenda item 41 (convened by the delegation of the Republic of Korea)

Thursday, 3 November 2005, from 4.30 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room A.

Informal consultations on a draft resolution on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment (Third Committee) (convened by the delegation of Denmark)

Monday, 7 November 2005, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room C.

Other forthcoming meeting

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JUSCANZ Group (Third Committee experts)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 8.45 to 9.15 a.m. in Conference Room 7.

JUSCANZ Group (Second Committee experts)

Thursday, 4 November 2005, from 9 to 9.45 a.m. in Conference Room 7.

Non-Aligned Movement (follow-up to the 2005 World Summit Outcome (at the ambassadorial level)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 12.45 to 2 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

Group of the Least Developed Countries

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 2.30 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room 3.

Panel discussion on "The challenges for international commodity policy – The cotton problematique" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Benin, in cooperation with the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development)

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 1.

[All are invited to attend.]

Briefing on "A global partnership against slavery and trafficking in human beings in the 21st century" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Belarus)

Wednesday, 2 November 2005, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 9.

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Uladzimir Gerus, Permanent Mission of Belarus (tel. 1 (212) 734-1689).]

Group of 77 (consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Follow-up to the Fourth World Conference on Women and full implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome of the twenty-third special session of the General Assembly", under agenda item 65 (Third Committee))

Wednesday, 2 November 2005, from 12.45 to 2 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

Panel discussion on "Priorities in the follow-up to the ten-year review and appraisal of implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action" (organized by the Division for the Advancement of Women, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, as part of the preparations for the fiftieth session of the Commission on the Status of Women)

Thursday, 3 November 2005, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3.

[All are invited to attend.]

**African Group: Group of Experts on Economic Matters
(exchange of views with officials from the World Bank)**

Wednesday, 9 November 2005, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

Announcements

Calendar of side events

The calendar of side events, prepared by the Office of the Special Adviser on Gender Issues and Advancement of Women, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, on the occasion of the fifth anniversary of the ground-breaking Security Council resolution 1325 (2000) on women, peace and security and in connection with the open debate of the Security Council held on Thursday, 27 October 2005, is available at the following address: www.un.org/womenwatch/osagi/wps/calendar_of_events.pdf.

Security Council

Daily informal briefings

As from Wednesday, 5 October 2005, and for the rest of the month, the Presidency of the Security Council will conduct informal briefings daily on the current work of the Council for Member States of the United Nations, which are non-members of the Council, except on days on which no informal consultations are scheduled. The briefings will take place immediately following the adjournment of the informal consultations.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530.

Summary of official meetings

Friday, 28 October 2005

Security Council

5295th meeting

The situation concerning Western Sahara

Report of the Secretary-General on the situation concerning Western Sahara (S/2005/648)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2005/677, submitted by France, the Russian Federation, Spain, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and the United States of America.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2005/677) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2005/677) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions and was adopted unanimously as resolution 1634 (2005).

5296th meeting

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

Nineteenth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2005/603)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2005/665, which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2005/665) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2005/665) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions, and was adopted unanimously as resolution 1635 (2005).

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

Main Committees

First Committee

21st meeting

Action on all draft resolutions submitted under all disarmament and international security agenda items (items 85 to 105)

The Committee continued its third stage of work, namely the "Action on all draft resolutions submitted under disarmament and international security agenda items (items 85 to 105)".

Statements were made by the representatives of Zambia, the United States, Mali and the Congo.

In explanation of vote before the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Spain, Sierra Leone, Egypt, the United States, the Philippines and Chile.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.8 was adopted without a vote.

The proposed amendment to preambular paragraph 8 of draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.22, as contained in document A/C.1/60/L.62**, was rejected by a recorded vote of 105 to 26, with 7 abstentions.

The proposed amendment to operative paragraph 1 of draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.22, as contained in document A/C.1/60/L.62**, was rejected by a recorded vote of 109 to 19, with 10 abstentions.

The proposed amendment to operative paragraph 3 of draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.22, as contained in document A/C.1/60/L.62**, was rejected by a recorded vote of 106 to 24, with 7 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.22 was adopted by a recorded vote of 151 to 1, with 11 abstentions.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union), Algeria, China, Cuba, the Islamic Republic of Iran, India, Indonesia, Pakistan and the Syrian Arab Republic.

The Secretary of the Committee made a statement.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.33/Rev.1 was adopted without a vote.

In explanation of vote after the vote, a statement was made by the representative of the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union).

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.30/Rev.1 was adopted by a recorded vote of 158 to 1, with 1 abstention.

In explanation of vote after the vote, a statement was made by the representative of China.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Netherlands, Cuba, Jordan, France and Pakistan.

In explanation of vote before the vote, a statement was made by the representative of Azerbaijan.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.34/Rev.1 was adopted by a recorded vote of 160 to 1, with no abstentions.

The Secretary of the Committee made a statement.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.37/Rev.1, as orally revised, was adopted without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.49/Rev.1 was adopted without a vote.

The Secretary of the Committee made a statement.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.56 was adopted by a recorded vote of 147 to none, with 15 abstentions.

In explanation of vote after the vote, a statement was made by the representative of Argentina, China, Cuba, India, Austria, the United States, Singapore, Egypt, Morocco, the Republic of Korea, Kazakhstan, Myanmar, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Pakistan, the Russian Federation, Mali, Croatia and Cuba.

The Secretary of the Committee made a statement.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.43/Rev.1 was adopted without a vote.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United States and France.

In explanation of vote before the vote, statements were made by the representatives of India, the United Kingdom and Kazakhstan.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.16 was adopted by a recorded vote of 164 to 1, with 2 abstentions.

The Secretary of the Committee made a statement.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.29* was adopted by a recorded vote of 163 to 1, with no abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.35 was adopted without a vote.

The representatives of Chile, the Congo and Guinea made statements.

Draft resolution A/C.1/60/L.39/Rev.1, as orally revised, was adopted by a recorded vote of 162 to none, with no abstentions.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of the United States and Cuba.

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

19th meeting

Effects of atomic radiation [28]

The Secretary of the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation made a statement.

The representative of Japan, in his capacity as Chairman of the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation, made a statement and introduced the draft resolution A/C.4/60/L.8 (to be issued).

General debate

The Committee began its general debate with statements by the representatives of Cuba, the Syrian Arab Republic, Myanmar, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union), Ukraine and Uruguay (on behalf of MERCOSUR).

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [116]

The Chairman made a statement.

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran made a statement.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

Second Committee

15th meeting

Globalization and interdependence [87]

(a) *Globalization and interdependence*

(b) *Science and technology for development*

(c) *International migration and development*

(d) *Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of funds of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin*

The Committee continued its consideration of the item.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Peru, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Ecuador, Pakistan, Switzerland, Philippines, Papua New Guinea, Indonesia, San Marino, Malta, Belarus, Croatia, Kenya, Fiji, Iraq, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and Cape Verde.

Statements were made by the observers for the International Labour Organization and the World Bank.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

16th meeting

Globalization and interdependence [87]

- (a) *Globalization and interdependence*
- (b) *Science and technology for development*
- (c) *International migration and development*
- (d) *Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of funds of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin*

The Committee continued its consideration of the item.

Statements were made by the representatives of Colombia, Guatemala, Barbados (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), El Salvador, Uruguay, Sudan, Sri Lanka, Qatar, Norway, Mexico and Nigeria.

Statements were made by the observers for the Inter-Parliamentary Union and the International Center for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology.

Concluding statements were made by the Assistant Secretary-General for the Department of Economic and Social Affairs, the Director of the Population Division, DESA, and the Programme Officer of the New York Office of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the agenda item.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

Third Committee

28th meeting

Human rights questions [71]

- (b) *Human rights questions including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms*
- (c) *Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives*
- (e) *Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights*

The Committee continued its joint consideration of the sub-items.

The Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea engaged in a dialogue with the delegations of the following countries: Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and China.

The Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants made a presentation and engaged in a dialogue with the delegations of the following countries: Pakistan, Brazil, Mexico, United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union) and Kuwait.

The Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967 made a presentation and engaged in a dialogue with the following delegations: Israel, Palestine, United States, Sudan, Jordan, Egypt, Syrian Arab Republic, United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union), Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Cuba and China.

The Representative of the Secretary-General on the human rights of internally displaced persons made a presentation.

The Committee was informed that the Rapporteur's dialogue with the delegations of Serbia and Montenegro, Nigeria, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union), Sudan and Switzerland, would be held during the afternoon meeting.

Organization of work

The Secretary made a statement.

29th meeting

Implementation of human rights instruments [71 (a)]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/60/L.24

The representative of Chile introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of sponsors listed, as well as Argentina, Azerbaijan, Costa Rica, Cyprus, Denmark, Estonia, Greece, Honduras, Italy, Nigeria, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Timor-Leste and Uruguay.

The Secretary announced that the United Kingdom was to be included in the original list of sponsors.

Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, the Congo, Georgia, Latvia, the Republic of Moldova, Romania and South Africa joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

A statement was made by representative of Chile.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/60/L.25

The representative of Denmark introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of sponsors listed, as well as Argentina, Brazil, Croatia, Cyprus, El Salvador, Estonia, Greece, Guatemala, Italy, Malta, Mexico, Nicaragua, Slovakia, Spain and The former Republic of Macedonia.

Andorra, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, the Dominican Republic, Georgia, Honduras, Kyrgyzstan, Luxembourg, Namibia, Republic of Moldova, Serbia and Montenegro, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Ukraine and Uruguay joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Advancement of women [64]

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/60/L.14/Rev.1

The Committee was informed that the revised draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The representative of Mongolia announced that Cambodia, Djibouti, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Guyana, Honduras, Kazakhstan, Jamaica and Uzbekistan had joined in sponsoring the draft resolution and orally revised the text.

Angola, Botswana, Burundi, Cape Verde, El Salvador, the Gambia, Georgia, Jordan, Nepal, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Rwanda, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Uganda, Uruguay and Zambia joined in sponsoring the draft resolution, as further revised.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, as orally revised.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by the representatives of the United States and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/60/L.17 and the programme budget implications thereto, contained in document A/C.3/60/L.20

The representative of Norway announced that Albania, China, Jamaica, Guinea, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Monaco, Mongolia, South Africa, Suriname, Viet Nam and Zambia had joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Angola, Armenia, Belarus, Burundi, Cambodia, Eritrea, Guyana, Honduras, Jordan, Mauritius, Micronesia (Federated States of), Namibia, Nicaragua, the Republic of Moldova, Rwanda, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Senegal, Sri Lanka, Tunisia, Ukraine, the United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay also joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

A statement was made by the representative of the United States, in which separate recorded votes were requested on operative paragraphs 14 and 15 and on the draft resolution as a whole.

Statements were made by the representatives of Norway and Cuba.

The Committee retained operative paragraph 14 of the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 147 to 2, with 6 abstentions.

Before the vote, a general statement was made by the representative of the United States.

A statement in explanation of vote before the vote was made by the representative of New Zealand.

A statement in explanation of vote after the vote was made by the representative of Japan.

The Committee retained operative paragraph 15 of the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 128 to 13, with 7 abstentions.

Before the vote, a general statement was made by the representative of the United States.

Statements in explanation of vote before the vote were made by the representatives of Pakistan, Kuwait, Cuba and India.

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Japan, Algeria, Egypt, China, Uganda and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.

The representative of Burkina Faso announced that her country had withdrawn as sponsor of the draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution as a whole, as orally revised, by a recorded vote of 160 to 1, with no abstentions.

Before the vote, a general statement was made by the representative of the United States.

Human rights questions [71]

- (b) *Human rights questions including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms*
- (c) *Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives*
- (e) *Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights*

The Committee continued its joint consideration of the sub-items.

The representative of the Secretary-General on the human rights of internally displaced persons engaged in a dialogue with the delegations of the following countries: Serbia and Montenegro, Nigeria, United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union), Sudan and Switzerland.

The Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health made a presentation and engaged in a dialogue with the delegations of the following countries: New Zealand, United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union), China, Brazil and Switzerland.

The Independent Expert on the effects of economic reform policies and foreign debt on the full enjoyment of all human rights, particularly economic, social and cultural rights made a presentation and engaged in a dialogue with the delegations of Cuba and Tunisia.

Fifth Committee

15th meeting

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007 [124]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic made a statement.

The Controller replied to questions raised.

The Acting Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions replied to questions raised.

The Permanent Observer for Palestine made a statement.

Statements were then made by the representatives of Sierra Leone, South Africa, Jamaica (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Egypt, Algeria, Cuba and Yemen.

The Controller made a concluding statement.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of these reports.

The Chairman informed the Committee that informal consultations on these reports would begin on Tuesday, 1 November, in the afternoon, under the chairmanship of H.E. Mr. Jarmo Sareva (Finland).

Financial viability of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research

The Controller introduced the report of the Secretary-General (A/60/360).

The Acting Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/60/7/Add.4).

Statements were then made by the representatives of Jamaica (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union; the acceding countries Bulgaria and Romania; the candidate countries of Turkey and Croatia; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Serbia and Montenegro; the EFTA country Liechtenstein, member of the European Economic Area, as well as Ukraine and the Republic of Moldova, which aligned themselves with the statement), the United States, Switzerland and Japan.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of this report.

The Chairman informed the Committee that informal consultations on this report would be held under the chairmanship of Mr. Fernando Sena (Brazil).

Financing of the United Nations Operation in Cote d'Ivoire [138]

The Committee had before it draft resolution A/C.5/60/L.4, which had been coordinated by the representative of Ireland on behalf of the Chairman.

The Committee adopted, without a vote, the draft resolution.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of this agenda item at this stage.

Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti [145]

The representative of Benin, Vice-Chairman of the Committee and coordinator of this item, made a statement and introduced draft resolution A/C.5/60/L.3.

The Committee adopted, without a vote, the draft resolution.

The representative of China noted a discrepancy in the Chinese version of the draft resolution.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of this agenda item at this stage.

Organization of work

The Chairman informed the Committee that the meetings of the Fifth Committee scheduled for next week would be held from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2.30 to 4.30 p.m.

Sixth Committee

15th-16th meetings

The President of the International Court of Justice addressed the Committee.

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its fifty-seventh session [80]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 80, focusing on chapters IV, IX and X of the report of the Commission.

At the 15th meeting, statements were made by the representatives of the United States, Mexico, the Republic of Korea, Brazil and China; and at the 16th meeting, by the representatives of Hungary, the Russian Federation, Italy, Poland, Portugal, Chile, Paraguay, Guatemala, Israel, Greece, Belgium, Kenya, Romania, Uruguay and Canada.

The Chairman spoke.

Observer status for the Hague Conference on Private International Law in the General Assembly [158]

The Committee began its consideration of agenda item 158.

The representative of the Netherlands made a statement and introduced draft resolution A/C.6/60/L.9.

It was announced that Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Canada, the Czech Republic, Germany, Jordan, Morocco, the Republic of Korea, the Russian Federation, Slovenia, Turkey and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland had joined as sponsors of the draft resolution.

General Assembly

Committee on Relations with the Host Country

226th meeting

The Chairman made a statement.

Consideration and adoption of the report of the Committee (A/AC/154/2005/CRP.1)

The Chairman made a statement.

The Rapporteur introduced the draft report.

The Facilitator made a statement.

A statement was made by the representative of the Russian Federation.

The Chairman made a statement.

The draft report was then adopted by the Committee.

Other matters

The Chairman made a statement.

A statement was made by the representative of the United States.

The Chairman made a statement.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

United Nations Convention against Corruption. New York, 31 October 2003

Notification under articles 6 (3), 44 (6), 46 (13) and 46 (14): Mauritius (11 July 2005)¹

¹ Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961. New York, 30 March 1961

Accession: Angola (26 October 2005)¹

Convention on psychotropic substances. Vienna, 21 February 1971

Accession: Angola (26 October 2005)¹

Protocol amending the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961. Geneva, 25 March 1972

Accession: Angola (26 October 2005)¹

Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961, as amended by the Protocol amending the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961. New York, 8 August 1975

Participation in the Convention by virtue of accession to the Protocol of 25 March 1972 or to the 1961 Convention after the entry into force of the Protocol: Angola (26 October 2005)¹

United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances. Vienna, 20 December 1988

Accession: Angola (26 October 2005)¹

Ratification: Democratic Republic of the Congo (28 October 2005)¹

International Convention on the Suppression and Punishment of the Crime of Apartheid. New York, 30 November 1973

Accession: Republic of Moldova (28 October 2005)¹

Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court. Rome, 17 July 1998

Ratification: Mexico (28 October 2005)¹

International Convention for the Suppression of the Financing of Terrorism. New York, 9 December 1999

Ratification: Democratic Republic of the Congo (28 October 2005)¹

United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000

Accession: Democratic Republic of the Congo (28 October 2005)¹

Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000

Accession: Democratic Republic of the Congo (28 October 2005)¹

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Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000

Accession: Democratic Republic of the Congo (28 October 2005)¹

Protocol against the Illicit Manufacturing of and Trafficking in Firearms, Their Parts and Components and Ammunition, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 31 May 2001

Accession: Democratic Republic of the Congo (28 October 2005)¹

WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control. Geneva, 21 May 2003

Ratification: Democratic Republic of the Congo (28 October 2005)¹

OLA/UNITAR Seminar on the Deposit of Treaty Actions with the Secretary-General and the Registration of Treaties

**United Nations Headquarters
(9-10 November 2005)**

The seminar, sponsored by the Office of Legal Affairs of the Secretariat (OLA) and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), will take place on 9 and 10 November 2005 at United Nations Headquarters.

The objective of the two-day seminar is to provide an overview of the deposit of treaty actions with the Secretary-General and the registration of treaties. The seminar is designed essentially to meet the needs of members of the Permanent Missions and representatives from capitals, and other personnel, in particular, legal counsellors and advisors, dealing with matters of treaty law, or specifically involved with the preparation of treaty actions with regard to multilateral treaties and with the registration of treaties pursuant to Article 102 of the United Nations Charter. Assistance and guidance will also be provided on the domestic aspects of participation in multilateral treaties.

The seminar is based on the Treaty Handbook, which was developed and published by the Treaty Section of OLA. The Treaty Handbook is a practical guide to the depositary practice of the Secretary-General and the registration requirements of the Secretariat. It is designated to serve as a tool for Member States, secretariats of international organizations and legal practitioners.

For more information about the seminar, please contact the Treaty Section of the Office of Legal Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693; e-mail treaty@un.org). Information Notes and Nomination Forms will be transmitted to the Permanent Missions accredited to the United Nations in New York by UNITAR shortly.

¹ Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Other announcements

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Annual Parliamentary Hearing on "Our shared responsibility for a stronger United Nations to meet the challenges of the 21st century" (organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU))

Monday, 31 October 2005, at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber; and

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[Representatives of Permanent Missions and civil society organizations, as well as the Secretariat staff, are invited to attend. The programme is available on-line at www.ipu.org/Splz-e/unga05.htm. For further information, please contact Mr. Alessandro Motter, IPU (tel. 1 (212) 557-5880).]

Women's International Forum on "Europe, the transatlantic relationship and the United Nations"

Tuesday, 1 November 2005, from 11 a.m. to 12 noon in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited to attend.]

DPI/NGO briefing in observance of the International Year of Sport and Physical Education

Thursday, 3 November 2005, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Sasa Gorisek, NGO Section, Department of Public Information (tel. 1 (212) 963-1859, e-mail gorisek@un.org).]

General information

Chairmen of regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of October 2005 has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Namibia

H.E. Mr. Martin Andjaba

Asian States:

India

H.E. Mr. Nirupam Sen

Eastern European States:

Republic of Moldova

H.E. Mr. Vsevolod Cîgore

Latin American and Caribbean States:

Argentina

H.E. Mr. César Mayoral

Western European and other States:

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H.E. Mr. Gerhard Pfanzelter

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- A/C.1/60/L.1/Rev.1* Reissued for technical reasons [A C E F R S]

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Second Committee

A/C.2/60/L.10 Item 52 (a) — Sustainable development: implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development — 29-Power draft resolution — International Year of Planet Earth, 2008 [A C E F R S]

Third Committee

A/C.3/60/L.27 Item 107 — International drug control — Providing support to Afghanistan with a view to ensuring effective implementation of its Counter-Narcotic Implementation Plan — Note by the Secretariat [A C E F R S]

Fifth Committee

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Sixth Committee

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